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healthy constitution he finds it closed. He is always sueaking around looking for openings through which he can invade happy homes and it are them for lorn and

desolate.

looks for weak places

GOMPERS WILL WIN

HE WILL HAVE NO ORGANIZED OP-POSITION.

ELECT OFFICERS ON TUESDAY

CONVENTION WILL PROBABLY AD-JOURN TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Delegates Spent a Lazy Day Yesterday and Will Hurry Through Business From This Time On-Are Anxious to Get Home.

The American Federation of Labor enjoyed a tranquil day yesterday. The delegates are hoping that the quiet will continue throughout the remainder of the convention, and there is good promise that it will. Few questions of disturbing importance will come up to-day and to-morrow, unless a new lease is given to the struggle of the rival painter factions. It is rumored that the Barrett, or Lafayette, faction will come to time and accept the basis of agreement proposed by the executive coursil of the federation. Every time this painters'



GEORGE E. M'NEILL TALKING TO A FRIEND.

dispute has come up a hot fight has been may result should it be brought up again. The internal dissensions in the Waiters' International Union will come up for settiement, and also the contest between the Typographical union and the machinists for jurisdiction over the men who repair and take care of the linotype machines in printing offices. These are the only questions remaining to the federation which may cause delay in discussion. However, as Christmas time approaches, the delegates become uneasy and more anxious to get home, and they will probably adopt some means of pushing along their business. The five-minute rule is at present a dead letter, as time is extended to everyone, even to P. F. Doyle, the long-winded obstructionist from Chicago. The delegates read their newspapers or converse among themselves while Doyle talks, and then a motion to extend his time carries.

The present programme is to hold the election Tuesday afternoon, and to adjourn Tuesday night. The present officers will that they will receive 2.498 votes, and that only two votes will be east against them. Max Hayes, however, manifests some inclination to "come around," but Isaac Cow-en is by nature "agin the government," and says that he is not like Hayes-he never surrenders.

An amendment will be offered to the corstitution to-day, increasing the vice pres



THOMAS I. KIDD.

dents from four to six. It will probably be adopted. Since Joseph Valentine has never served as fourth vice president, this will make three to elect, in addition to the re-elected vice presidents.

The Favorite Slate.

The opinion among the delegates seems to favor a ticket like this:

Samuel Gompers, president.

P. J. McGoire, first vice president,
James D. Mary, second vice president,
James O. Garar, shift vice president,
John Mils be a much vice president.
Max Morris f.th vice president.
Thomas I. Gild or Theodore J. Shaffer,
sixth vice ye discipled. treasurer.

James O Connell, fraterofficers of the federation
he cigarmakers, the granrinters, the carpenters and
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ae will give strength to the
officers of the federation
from the East. This year
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e xecutive council, and hence for Max Morris, of the retail enver. He is personally very h the delegates, he are spoken of for the fra-ateships are Samuel B. Don-v York, president of the Type-ulon; W. D. Mahon, of Detroit, the suret car workers and

ruseth, secretary of the Seaso doubt that the popular saller

far Francisco could have anything waster in the gift of the convention, he has thus far refused to be a can-te for any office. Furniseth is one of the men of the labor movement. He his learted, raw-boned Norwegian, but

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

the se injured by the use of coffee. Receily here has been placed in all the grocers a new preparation called (AdN-O, made of pure grains, that takes to be of coffee. The most delicate stometic eleves it without distress, and but fewer it from coffee. It does not cost over much. Children may drink it with benefit. Is cts, and 25 cts, per packet Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

his nature is as fine and delicate as a woman's. Sometimes when the delegates are speaking on the floor of the convention of the hardships of their fellow laborers and the difficulties which have to be surmounted in organizing them, tears come to the big sailor's eyes. In speaking of Furuseth, yesterday, Harry Lloyd said: "I love that man. "So do we all," schoed George C. Mc-Neill.

Nelli, Furuseth Is a Character.

Furuseth is a speaker of rare and quaint doquence. He has a native accent that is truly time to hear. He is a thinker is truly line to hear. He is a thinker of keen insight and wide intelligence and what he says is always heeded by the conven-tion. As secretary of the Seaman's Union he went before the senate committee to get some laws made in the interest of the

That man knows more about marine "That man knows more about marine affairs than any one I ever heard speak before," remarked Senator Frye, afterward. Recently a large firm in Chicago offered Recently a large firm in Chicago offered Furuseth a salary of several thousand dollars a year to handle their marine affairs, but the sailor refused. He would rather work for his fellow seamen as secretary of their union, at the small salary of \$12 or \$15 a week.

It Was a Lazy Day.

The delegates enjoyed a good, lazy day yesterday. Some of them addressed meetngs, some went to church, many spent

so dissimilar from the one under which we are living. When we go before our con-gressment and ask for laws that will bene-fit us, their answer would be that we are not in sympathy with the government and nothing would be given us.

Mr. Lloyd originated the Idea of the ex-change of fraternal delegates. He has been a delegate to English federations, and has made a study of labor in several European

ountries. While in Germany he was impressed by

While in Germany he was impressed by the attitude of the leading socialists on questions of vital interest to labor, such as higher wages, shorter hours, and the decrease in the standing army.

"Instead of favoring these measures," said Mr. Lloyd, "the socialists opposed them, Their object is to crush labor to the lowest depths possible in the hope that their despair will drive them to revolution. Some of the agitators who visit our labor cenventions are inclined to follow the German policy, rather than the English, which is to work with the trade unions in ameliorating the condition of the working classes. I believe the English socialists of the Shaw and Morris stripe are correct. Laborers should be helped wherever possible as society is now constituted. er possible as society is now constituted. By education they might be lifted up to a higher idea."

GOMPERS AT CHURCH.

Small Audience Listens to the President of American Federation of Labor.

Those few who attended the First Con gregational church last night saw Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in the attitude of pulpit orator. He presented a very careful study of the labor movement, from the

study of the labor movement, from the standpoint of a workingman.

"One of the greatest difficulties we experience," he said, "is to secure a greater, better and wiser discussion and study of this labor movement. People are so apt to have opinions already formed, and when strikes and troubles incident to them occur they do not give the laborers a hearing, but condemn them as rioters and extremcondemn them as rioters and extrem

Mr. Gompers reviewed the changed conditions caused chiefly by the introduction of machinery and new inventions. He did not oppose or wish to hinder inventions, he and, oppose or wish to hinder inventions, he said, "but when it is easier to produce the necessities and luxuries of life it should not be more difficult to live. And while machinery is being operated and utilized to an extent never dreamed of before, the workless workers stalk about our highways, unable to get the wherewith for the labour movement may be said. ways, unable to get the wherewith for bread. The labor movement may be said to have originated in hunger, been nour-ished by hunger and prospered by hunger-hunger for bread, for homes, for the higher and better life."

Mr. Gompers spoke descriptively of the much-caricatured walking delegate. He had a high relute to a misrepresented

Mr. Gompers spens that the much-caricatured walking delegate. He paid a high tribute to a misrepresented class. He spoke of strikes—the weapon of class. He spoke of strikes—the weapon of the workingmen—to be used only when all means else failed. He spoke of the loyalty of the American workingmen to this coun-try and their flag and said that their life blood would flow if necessary to preserve and perpetuate the republic. "But we de-mand work for the workless workers," he wild, "better puy and shorter hours. We demand that the breadwinner of the fam-ily shall be the man and the women and ily shall be the man, and the women and children shall be at home to bring sun-shine into our lives. We demand in this land of plenty, leisure to live, leisure to love, leisure to enjoy our freedom."

COMMUNICATIONS.

For Expansion.

To The Journal.

I am taking your valued paper as I am a Missourian. For forty-four years I lived in Carroll counts. By the way I am an old soldier and a stanck Republican, so you can see how we voted it our last election. We are for McKinley for our next president. Expansion in full. Chew all we hite off.

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Inquiry.

To The Journal.

How can the Convention hall committee escape the impatation of had faith to the public if they issue 60.000 more tickers? It was announced that 100.000 would be issued and an the truth of this assertion many of us bought two or three times as many tickets as we would have done had we foreseen the proposed new move. All chances we had of drawing a prize will be alluted 40 per cent, more or less The people will not forcet such action if called ups arath.

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"Rainy and Colder" To-day.



Small Blaze at Y. M. C. A.

A burning blouse in a gymnasium locke A burning blouse in a symmasium locker enused excitement for a time at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. last evening. Professor W. H. Rowntree, a visiter, discovered smake coming from the locker, which was broken open, the blouse pulled out and the smoldering blaze extinguished without difficulty. The locker is rented by a young man named Keith. The cause of the fire could not be learned.

Small Fires Yesterday.

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12:49 a. m.—At Ninth and Spruce streets, cable rallway passenger coach. Loss, \$100; cause stove in coach.

3:30 a. m.—At 701 East Eighteenth street, two-story frame store occupied by Samuel Westerman; loss on building \$200; on contents, \$100. Cause, defective stovepipe, 1 p. m.—At 1012 Charlotte street, one-story frame occupied by Mrs. Belle Price, Lass on contents, \$5, cause, careless handling of kerosene.

Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething softens the gume, reduces inflammation, allays pains, cures vind colle; Esc bottle.

NINA SPOFFORD DEAD

PASSED AWAY AT HER OLD HOME IN PULASKI, TENN.

News Received in Kansas City Yesterday and Came as a Shock to Her Many Friends-Burial Will Be in Pulaski.

Miss Nina Spofford, sister of Thomas M. Spofford died Saturday evening, at Pulaski, Tenn., after a short Illness. The sad news was received in this city vesterday morang, and came as a shock to her frieads who, while they knew she was not in the her illness was of a serious nature. At the time of her death, Miss Spofford was visiting relatives at her former home.

Miss Spofford was the daughter of T. R.



MISS NINA SPOFFORD.

tration Martin was urged to accept the secretaryship of the treasury, but declined public office of any kind. On both her mother's and her father's side Miss Spofford inherited considerable

wealth. The Spofford family several years ago invested in Kansas City property to the value of \$500,000, and in 1803, Miss Spofford and her brother, T. M. Spofford, moved

he head of the procession of young hands of the South.

Miss Spofford was well known in Kansas lity society circles, and was universally opular. Arrangements for the funeral are last yet known in Kansas City, but the body will be buried in the family lot at Pulaski.

MRS. JOHN GILLHAM'S FUNERAL

She Was the Mother of Robert Gillham, General Manager of the K. C., P. & G. Rond.

The funeral of Mrs. John Gillbam, who fled at the family home, 1301 Belleview, late nates Saturday night, of typhoid pneumonia, will "Is e private, and will be held from the iome this afternoon at 2 c'clock. Dr. Hopkins, of the First Congregational church will officiate. The burial will be in Forest Hill cemetery.

Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Gillham leaves a husband and four sons, all of whom reside in Kansas City—John, superintendent of the Armourdale iron Company; M. Corson, connected with the Gill-Alexander Company; Robert, general manager of the Pittsburg & Gulf railroad, and Walter, of the Metropolitan street railroad. Mrs. Gillham's mother lives at the family home. She is 34 years old. Mrs. Gillham was 69 years old.

Death of Simon Wolter.

Simon Wolter. 71 years old, died at the family home, 3/2 East Seventeenth street, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Wolter has been sick for several months. He came to Kansas City thirty-one years ago, from La Salle, Ill. He leaves six children, all of whom reside in Kansas City.

The funeral services will take place from the home at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. Burial in Sts. Peter and Paul's cemetery.

Henry F. Menking, late room clerk at the Coutes House, died Saturday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Drake, Parkersville, W. Va., sged 31 years. He was employed several years at the Coates, until November 12, when he resigned his position and went to West Virginia.

Henry Menking Is Dead.

ABOUT SOME PEOPLE.

John N. Ives, of Boulder, Col., is visiting friends in the city. C. S. Jobes, United States bank examiner for Kansas, was at the Blossom house last

James Bennett, of Leper, Mo., freight agent for the Lookout Route, is at the Blossom house,

Cornelius Gardiner, fermerly a well known Washington correspondent, is a guest at the Coates. James J. Valentine, president of the Wells Fargo Express Company, and C. H. Gardiner, of California, are guests of the Coates.

A. C. Jobes, the well known banker, of Wichita, passed through Kansas City last night, en route to New York, to attend a special meeting of the directors of the Santa Fe, on December 21.

Arthur Percival of London, was in Kansas City yesterday. He was on the last boat to leave Dawson, N. W. T., this season. He is indignant over the oppressive taxation levied on the miners in the Klondike region by the Canadian parliament. "It is an outrage," was the way he shareterized it. "General Ogilbe, who is accountable for the tax of 19 per cent on gross outout, has been installed as governor. He will be compelled to yield to the pressure being brought to bear on him by a combination of the largest holders, and recommend a reduction. The Australian miners are indignant and have made a combined protest. They know the English mining laws and how utterly contrary the present tax is to all other mining laws in the kingdon. Arthur Percival, of London, was in Kan-

dom.

"Big mine owners are clubbing together and buying up claims for \$75 and \$100, of men who are compelled to throw them up. Now is the time for capital to invest in that country. I shall leave to-night for London, where I hope to interest capital. I shall return to Dawson in April. The forfeited claims will be sold at auction by the government, and good ones can be picked up cheaply."

Wanted.

All Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Red Men, G. A. R., and all of the late soldier boys, to send me their names and residence number at once, on a postal card for a Christmas present, Address Stewart, Hotel Souther, Kansas City, Mo.

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature Chat H. Hitchir.

INDEPENDENCE.

Corporations Drain the City Treasury. but Neglect to Pay Accounts Which Are Long Overdue.

The crude methods of doing business for the city which have been in vogue for years are dally demonstrating that a change is imperatively necessary. Stacks of tax bills issued for work done Stacks of tax bills issued for work done by the street commissioner have grown musty with age. Although kept intact by the efforts of the city cierk, they represent just so much old paper and writing material, for no effort whatever is made to collect them. Tax bills are on tile at the city hall which were issued two years ago against corporations doing business with the city. The records also show that, although these corporations draw money from the city, their indebtedness to the city is not settled, but the bills, which represent taxpayers money, are quietly stored away taxpayers' money, are quietly stored away and never mentioned. The report of the street commissioner shows that work has been done for private

shows that work has been done for private individuals who have only made a partial payment. The system of accounts kept by the street commissioner also shows that he performs the duties of city scavenger. His reports teem with the expense ache performs the duties of city scavenger. His reports teem with the expense accounts for the burial of dead horses, dogs and hogs. The records of the police court fail to show where any individual was ever arrested for depositing dead horses, hogs or dogs in the streets for the city to care for, and the expense for the burials goes merrily on.

Worked in the Rain.

Asphalt was laid in the rain yesterday. The north side of the square was finished and a portion near the First National bank. It has been four months since the business part of the city was fenced off, and the opening of one street, even at the expense of Sunday labor, will be hailed with delight by North side merchants. Should the weather prove favorable work will be resumed to-day on the west side of the square.

Independence News Notes.

A musicale will be given to-morrow even lng in the chapel of the Kansas City La dies' college.

Miss Pattie Bohannon, of Kansas City, is the guest of Miss Mary McCoy, of West In the absence of Rev. Mr. Vernon, Rev. Mr. Alexander Proctor conducted the serv-ives yesterday morning at the Christian church. Waldo avenue.

Presiding Elder B. F. Price, of the M. E. church, conducted the services at the Delaware Street M. E. church yesterday There will be a meeting of McDonald lodge, A, F, and A, M., to-night for the purpose of electing officers for the ensu-

ing year.

The trial of Bert Israel will take place this morning before Justice Liddil Israel is implicated in the robbery of Edward Dehorney, Thursday night last. The funeral of Allen Silvers took place

the tuneral of Allen Silvers took place vesterday morning from the residence of John Wells of Maple avenue. Rev. Mr. Worley, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, conducted the services at the house. The deceased was a well known young man of this city, having resided here all of his life.

POLICE TURKEY SHOOT. The Offer of a Prize by the Chief Stimulates Interest Among the Bluecoated Sharpshooters.

The police of Kansas City, Kas., are mak ing extensive preparations for the annual turkey shoot which will be held next Sat-urday at Kerr's park. Every officer on the and her brother, T. M. Spofford, moved here. Subsequently he erected one of the finest residences in the city, at Twenty-fifth and Lydia. Last October, Mr. Spofford vas married, and he and his bride are now entheir wedding tour. They were at the bedside of their sister when she died.

Miss Spofford was given unusual educational advantages and was an accomplished musician and artist. She was graduated from the New England Conservatory of Music, and later spent two years in Paris, studying art and music under the best masters. As a girl in her Southern home she was always fond of horseback riding, and became an accomplished horsewoman. Last year she attended the Nashville exposition and was selected by the board of managers as Tennessee's favorite duughter, being given the place of honor at the head of the procession of young ladies of the South.

Miss Spofford was well known in Kansas prize of a new club to the patrolman making the best score has increased interest and there is not a patrolman in the department who does not dream at night of winning both a turkey and the club. Detective Walsh hopes to ear turkey and he makes a trip daily to the outskirts of the city for a little secret practice. In this he has none the best of another member of the detective force. Detective Addison is said to be practicing night and day. Some of the boys accuse him of shooting at every dog he sees on the streets just to try his aim.

Captain Porter will purchase the birds some time this week, and will make an effort to get some twenty pounders.

HAS POLK BROKEN SILENCE?

The Belief Exists in Independence That He Has at Last Opened His Lips.

There was another gathering of officials yesterday at the county jail in Indepen-dence. The usual air of secretiveness pervaded their movements. County Marshal S. H. Chiles arrived early in the afternoon, and became as mysterious as his subordi

"Is Polk in the fail, and has he confessed?" Marshal Chiles was asked.

The only reply which could be elicited was: "What do you want to know for?"
During the day the rumor again gained circulation that Charles Polk, the trainrobbery suspect, had made a statement.
It is believed now that the officers made favorable overtures to Polk, and that, under the great strain imposed upon him, he broke silence.

SUNDAY AT THE ZOO. Original Acts of Merit and Novelty Were Highly Appreciated by

Those in Attendance. A programme of great interest was given at the Zoo yesterday. Mile. Louise appeared in an aerial act of merit, Madame Flora spored another hit with her trained reptiles, boa constrictors and anacondas, and Captanin Woods presented his new dare devil specialty, his performing partners being Queenie, the high-jumping lioness and her mate, Robert the Devil, and Victoria, the leonine giantess. Every net was of decided merit and novelty and the performance was appreciated by those in attendance.

Excursion Rates for the Holidays Via the Katy Route.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway will sell tickets to all points within 200 miles at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale December 24, 25, 26 and 31, 1888, and January 1 and 2, 1899. Good for return up to and including January 4, 1899. Ticket offices, 1918 Union avenue, \$23 Main street and Union depot. and Union depot.
T. J. FITZGERALD, P. & T. A.

Short Line to Des Moines.

Try the service via the Chicago Great Western railway to Des Moines, leaving Kansas City daily at 10:45 a. m., arriving at Des Moines 8:15 p. m. A daylight train, with free reclining chair cars. Almost Free Photographs.

The Kansas City View Company will rent you a \$25 to \$50 kodak at 10 cents per day, or \$1 per month. Take a kodak with you on your vacation trip. Anyone can use one and make nice photos. We do the finishing. You do the rest. Tel. 1410. Es-tablished in 1885. 1431 Walnut.

Berths Are Electric Lighted On the California Limited, Santa Fe Route, A new system, electricity generated by car axles; 5,000 candle power.

New-Warneke's 1776 Bread. Try it.

Chicago Legal Light Dies. CHICAGO, Dec. 18 .- Edward G. Mason.

one of Chicago's most prominent and suc-cessful lawyers, died at his home to-day, aged 59. The cause of his death was Bright's disease, aggravated by an injury to the head, which Mr. Mason received in a fall some days since.

Mr. Mason was graduated from Yale in 1860, and has ever since been active in university affairs. Recently he has been frequently mentioned as the candidate of the Western alumni to succeed Timothy Dwight as the president of Yale college. He is survived by a wife and thirteen chil-dren.

Rulers of Europe.

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Of the present rulers of European empires and kingdoms only one-third ascended the throne by direct hereditary rights. Out of the seventeen reigning emperors and kings only five are sons of previous rulers. These are in Prussia, Saxony, Italy, Belgium and Servia.

In Sweden, Portugal, Bavaria and Turkey brothers of the former sovereigns occupy the thrones, while in Austria. Wurtemberg and England a nephew and niece of the previous reigning uncle and aunt are in power. In Bussia the crown prince's death caused his brother's succession to the throne.

Castine Off for Havana.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—The gunboat Castine resplendent in a new coat of white paint left the harbor to-day for Havana. She should arrive there in about five days.

HER NECK WAS BROKEN

MRS. FRANK LEOPARD FALLS WITH FATAL RESULTS

Over a Projection and Was Instantly Killed-Delay of Coroner Causes Comment.

warm at the good played.

William Chambers, caterer, will serve supper in the cafe off the balcony. It is sassured that Turner hall, on the night of December 2!, will present a most attractive and brilliant appearance.

Were Without Licenses. Three teamsters, Russell McCune, W. L. Edgell and A. T. Thewer, were arrested Saturday night for violating the city ordi Saturday night for violating the city ordi-nance in regard to licenses. The ordinance provides that all drivers of express, trans-fer and other wagons used for hauling shall pay a license of \$2.50 a year. These three drivers have been hauling coal since the cold snap, but had neglected to provide themselves with the proper licenses. Ed-gell and Thewer, after their arrest, secured licenses and were released.

By direction of the assistant secretary of war Sergeant Joseph Smith, band, Twentieth U. S. infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station.

By direction of the assistant secretary of war, Private Clarence C. Rush, Company A. Twentieth U. S. infantry, now supposed to be absent sick at South Bend, Ind., will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier.

First Lieutenant S. J. Bayard Schindel, Third United States infantry, is relieved from duty with the Sixth United States infantry, and will proceed to john his company.

By direction of the secretary of war.

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By direction of the secretary of war, First Lieutenant Willis Uline, Twelfth United States Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the state of Missouri, to take effect December 31, 188, and will then proceed to join his company.

Methodist church. At the close of the meeting the Rev. Mr. Jenkin Lloyd Jones presented a set of resolutions which were adopted imanimously, deprecating discrimination in trade, politics, or religion on account of the color line in the North or South. A copy of the resolution will be sent to President McKinley. Will be Seymour had plenty of baths do rest of the voyage, and was perfer indistive to First Officer Reed.

GAIL BORDEN

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CONDENSED MILK.

TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE FOR THE "EAGLE BRAND"

THOUSANDS OF MOTHERS TESTIFY TO ITS SUPERIORITY.

"INFANT HEALTH" SENT FREE. NEWYORK CONDENSED MILK CO. N.Y.

FAT MEN AS FREAKS.

Ex-Manager Tells Tales Out of School -Scenie Artist's Idea of a Mongoose.

From the Chicago Tribune. "Fat people," said the man who used to run a dime museum, "were, after all, the best attractions. Occasionally you might get hold of a freak of some other class While Going for Coal She Tripped who would draw well, but when thing were slack it was astonishing how som new whale of a man or woman would boom business,

"John Craig made me more money than anybody I ever exhibited. He worked for me years back, when he weighed a good bit over 300. That wash't much and h Mrs. Frank Leopard, a widow, fell from didn't last long. You might have called a step in the rear of her residence, 117 him an amateur. He went up in the country near Cincionati and I forgot all about

Mo. Princh Leveland, a wishlow, fell train and store in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence. It is also in the reary of her residence and in the reary of her residence and in the reary of her residence. It is also in the rearrange and her reary of her residence and in the rearrange and her reary of her residence and in the rearrange and her reary of her residence and in the rearrange and her reary of her residence and in the rearrange and her reary of her residence and her rearrange and her rearr

Cathartic or purgative pills do more harm than good, Carter's Little Liver Pills do only good, but a large amount of that, Only one pill a dose.

SWAM IN SEA HANDCUFFED. A Manine From Santingo Jumps Over

board to Get a From the New York Tribune.

The Ward line steamer Seneca, which arrived here yesterday from South Cuban ports, brought with her W. H. Seymour, Night Operator Elmer Reber, of the Maple Leaf, who has been ill with typhoid fever at Cushing hospital for some weeks, mending rapidly. He has been transferred to the convalescent ward and was to-day able to be about the building. Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane,

> While the Seneca was on her way to Manzanillo on November 22. Seymour became unruly and was placed in irons. O November 23 the Seneca left Manzanill November 25 the Seneca left Manzamillo for Clenfuegos, and Seymour was allowed to have the liberty of the main deck aft, so that he might get a little fresh air and exercise. Handcuffs were still kept on his wrists, in order to prevent him from making any violent demonstrations. At 16:30 aclock the steward appeared upon the bridge and informed First Officer Reed, whose watch it was, that a passenger was overboard. The ship was at once stopped whose water it was the passage overboard. The ship was at once stopped and backed up to where Seymour, who is a large, powerful man, was seen swimming, handcuffed as he was, toward the shore, which was between three and four miles A starboard boat was lowered away with

all speed. First Officer Reed took command of the boat, and it was manned by Fred Hausen, George Thompson, Christopher Knudsen and Louis Larsen, seamen. The Knudsen and Louis Larsen, seamen. The 27. 1898, and will then proceed to join all company.

Captain Benjamin L. Ten Eyek, assistant surgeon, United States army, now on duty at Fort Riley, Kas, is relieved from further station at the Army and Navy General hospital, Hot Springs, Ark.

Knudsen and Louis Larsen, seamen, boat made at once for Seymour, and was dranged from the water and the water and the water and the set was still swimming of hack, but he made no resistance, from the time the steward made here.

From the time the steward made here the steward made here. overtaken he was still swimming on hi hack, but he made no resistance. From the time the steward made his re Henderson Tells His Story.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—W. E. Henderson, the negro lawyer, who, with his wife and five children was driven out of Wilmington, N. C., by the recent rlots there, told the story of the uprising to-day at the First Methodist church. At the close of the meeting the Rev. Mr. Jenkin Lloyd Jones presented a set of resolutions which were adopted inanimously, deprecating discrimination in trade, politics, or religion on introde processing discrimination in trade, politics, or religion on the control of the process of the control of the control

energy begin to weaken and become uncertain, then the door to shaky and there is an opening for the grim visitor to enter.

It is commonly said that people die of It is commonly said that people die of this or that particular disease. The truth is they die of constitutional weakness. If more people realized this they would understand why the great "Golden Medi-cal Discovery" invented by Dr. R. V. Pierce of Buffalo, N. V., cures so many cases of lingering coughs, throat, bronchial, and kindred affections of the air passages. It gives thorough abundant constitutional vitality. It gives the digestive and blood-making organs, where consumption usually making organs, where consumption usually begins, power to do their work completely so that no poisonous dregs can get into the circulation to fasten on the lungs and vital

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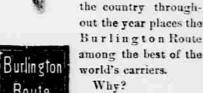
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